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Newport, Feb. 10, 1800.

ALL Persons having any Demands against the Estate of *MARY SISSON*, late of Newport, deceased, are desired to bring them in for Settlement; and all those indebted to the above Estate, are requested to make Payment to

LAVIS SISSON, Executor.
SARAH DAVIS, Executrix.

Newport, Feb. 10, 1800.

ALL Persons having Demands on the Estate of Miss *FRANCES LIGHTFOOT* late of Newport, deceased, are requested to exhibit the same for Settlement; and those who are indebted to said Estate to make Payment to

JOHN BOURS, *Executor.*

February 10, 1800.

WE the Subscribers appointed Commissioners by the Hon. Court of Probate for the Town of Little-Compton, to receive and examine the Claims of the Creditors to the Estate of JOSIAH SAYER, late of said Town, Mariner, deceased, represented insolvent, give Notice, that Six Months is allowed by said Court, from the Date hereof, for the Creditors to exhibit their Claims against said Estate, after which Time no Accounts will be received or allowed—We shall attend the above Business at our respective Dwellings, any Time within the above Period.

ZEBEDEE GRINNELL, GODFREY PEARSE, } *Commissioners.*

Little-Compton, Feb. 5, 1800.

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ELIZABETH SAYER, *Administratrix.*

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Newport, Jan. 20, 1800.

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ROWLAND BROWN, *SAMUEL HELME*, } *Commissioners.*

All Persons indebted to the above Estate are requested to make immediate Payment to

STEPHEN C. GARDNER, Administ.

South-Kingstown, Feb. 6th, 1800.

WE the underwritten, appointed by the Hon. Court of Probate of the Town of Newport, to receive, examine and adjust, the Claims on the Estate of ROBERT KEATH, Mariner, late of Newport, deceased, represented Insolvent; hereby notify the Creditors to deliver in their respective Demands to us, at either of our Dwellings, within Six Months from the Date hereof, being the Time allowed by the said Court for that purpose.

DANIEL DUNHAM, jun. JOHN WILLIAMS, } *Commissioners.*

All Persons indebted to said Estate, are requested to discharge their several Balances to ROSANNA KEATH, *Administratrix.*

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Newport, Dec. 2, 1799.

Doctor K I N G's

MOST respectful Compliments to the Inhabitants of Newport, and its Vicinity—takes this Method to offer his Services, in the Practice of PHYSIC and SURGERY:——In which Practice he has received a *regular* Education.—Credentials of which he is ready to produce, to those who will do him the Honour to call on him, at Mrs. COTTRELL's.

If the most ready Attention, joined with a sincere Wish to be useful to his Fellow-Citizens, have any Claim to Success, he flatters himself he shall not be unsuccessful in his Endeavours to serve them.

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CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

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MR. Livingston said, he held two resolutions, which he intended to offer to the House, the one in their ordinary legislative capacity, the other addressed to them as the special guardians of the Constitution and laws, and the high inquest for the people of the United States.

Mr. L. said, that after the treaty with Great-Britain had received the final sanction of all the constituted authorities of the United States, such laws were passed as were deemed competent to carry it into full effect; experience, however, had shewn that further legislative provision was necessary on the one hand to give full efficacy to the compact, and carry all its engagements into operation with fidelity, on the other to guard against any mischiefs that might arise from uncertainty in the instrument or misconstruction of its provisions.

Experience had shewn, that an article in terms just, reciprocal, and innocent, had by this means become unjust, injurious, and in the highest degree unequal in its operation.

He alluded he said to the 27th article, which provided for the apprehension and delivery of fugitives, which was in the following words:

"It is further agreed, that his majesty and the United States, on mutual requisitions, by them respectively, or by their respective ministers or officers, authorised to make the same, will deliver up to justice all persons, who, being charged with murder or forgery, committed within the jurisdiction of either, shall seek an asylum within any of the countries of the other, provided that this shall only be done on such evidence of criminality, as, according to the laws of the place, where the fugitive, or person so charged shall be found, would justify his apprehension and commitment for trial, if the offence had been there committed. The expence of such apprehension and delivery shall be borne and defrayed, by those who make the requisition and receive the fugitive."

By a recent construction of this article, any person, even a citizen of the United States, on the requisition of a foreign power to whom he might have made himself obnoxious, being charged with a supposed crime said to be committed in a foreign country, or even on the high seas under the immediate jurisdiction of our own courts, might be torn from his country, connections and friends, dragged to a distant land, and there fall an unprotected sacrifice to the political bigotry of a prejudiced court, or the stern unrelenting severity of a military tribunal—he might suffer this in defiance of the constitutional provision which assured to him the intervention of one jury to charge, and another to convict him of a crime.—It was to apply some remedy to these evils, that this first resolution was calculated.

The 2d resolution was connected with the subject of the first, and tended to investigate a fact which had been publicly and seriously asserted in all the papers on the continent, and which had never been extenuated or denied.—It had been there asserted, that a letter was written by an officer at the head of one of the great executive departments, to a judge, advising and requesting him how to act in a judicial case, arising under the article just read; and, that the application might have greater weight, that advice and request were stated to be the President's.

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And as in the exercise of this important function of the house, it was especially necessary to discard prejudice, animosity and the irritation of party, he should not strive to awaken any passion or enlist any feeling on the question: he would therefore make no other remarks until the result of the inquiry should either confirm the charge or shew it to be without foundation; persuaded that, in the former case every member of the house would unite in such measures as justice and duty would dictate, and conscious that in the latter result, no one would more heartily rejoice than himself in acknowledging it to be groundless, and doing justice to the characters of those who might be implicated in the charge.

He then read the following resolutions, which if seconded, he would lay on the table:

Resolved, That provision ought to be made by law for carrying into effect the 27th article of the Treaty of Amity, Commerce and Navigation, between the United States and the King of Great-Britain.

Resolved, That the President of the United States be requested to lay before this house copies of the requisition for, and other papers relative to the apprehension and delivery of Jonathan Robbins, under the 27th article of the treaty of amity, commerce and navigation, between the United States and the King of Great-Britain, together with copies of the communications (if any) between either of the executive departments and the Judge of the District Court of S. Carolina on the subject.

They were seconded and laid on the table.

Adjourned.

Tuesday, February 4.

Mr. Leib laid on the table a resolution to the following effect—

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to bring in a bill making provision for the removal of the troops in the service of the United States, which may be stationed where an election is held, and that such removal shall take place at least two days previous to such election, and to a distance not less than two miles.

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It was twice read, committed, and made the order for to-morrow.

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The resolution was agreed to and three members appointed.

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Lavis Sisson, Executor.
Sarah Davis, Executrix.

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for, and delivery of Jonathan Robbins, under the 27th article of the Britiſh treaty—reported that the committee had performed that ſervice; and that the Preſident ſaid, "he would take their requeſt into conſideration, and return an anſwer in due ſeaſon."

Mr. Speaker laid before the Houſe a letter from the Secretary of the Treaſury, incloſing two ſtatements relative to the permanent revenue of the United States—which was ordered to be printed.

Mr. Otis laid the following reſolution on the table, viz.

Reſolved, That the Preſident of the Senate and Speaker of the Houſe of Repreſentatives be authoriſed to cloſe the preſent ſeſſion, by adjourning their reſpective Houſes, on the firſt Monday in April next.

Thurſday, February 6.

Mr. J. Brown preſented a petition of the merchants, traders and others, of the towns of Briſtol, Warren and Barrington, in the ſtate of Rhode-Iſland, praying that ſo much of the diſtrict of Newport, as is included within the county of Briſtol, may be erected into a ſepara port of entry.—Referred to the committe of commerce and manufactures.

Mr. Harriſon, from the committee appointed this day, reported a bill for giving further time to the holders of military warrants to regulate and locate the ſame; which went through the neceſſary orders of the Houſe, and was directed to be engroſſed for a third reading to-morrow.

On motion of Mr. Griſwold, the Houſe went into committee of the whole on the bill declaring the aſſent of Congreſs to certain acts of the ſtates of Maryland, Rhode-Iſland and Georgia, Mr. Parker in the chair, when the bill was amended, by ſtriking out that part which related to Rhode-Iſland, the act paſſed by that ſtate having expired, and ordered to be engroſſed and read a third time to-morrow.

The bill entitled, "An act reſpecting the mint," was taken up in committee of the whole, agreed to without amendment, and ordered to be read a third time to-morrow.

A meſſage from the Senate, by their Secretary, Mr. Otis, informed the Houſe, that the Senate had paſſed the bill providing for the enumeration of the inhabitants of the United States, with ſundry amendments.—Adjourned.

Friday, February 7.

A written meſſage was received from the Preſidentof the United States, by his Secretary, Mr. Shaw, in the words following, to wit:

Gentlemen of the Houſe of Repreſentatives,

In conſequence of your requeſt to me, conveyed in your reſolution of the fourth of this month, I directed the Secretary of State to lay before me copies of the papers intended. Theſe copies, together with his report, I now tranſmit to the Houſe of Repreſentatives, for the conſideration of the members.

JOHN ADAMS.

United States, }
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To the Little Prince of the broken arrow, alias Cowappe Little Prince of Coweta Fallabassee.

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On Wedneſday laſt put in here, in diſtreſs, a brig from Jamaica for Europe. By her we learn that Touſſaint had ſent two large ſhips with a number of troops to attack the Eaſt-end of Jamaica, but were met with off Cape-Tiberoon by ſome of his Majeſty's ſhips, and carried into Kingſton. This expedition, with all its preparations, was carried on at the Cape, under the pretence of quelling Rigaud. The French whites and negroes in Jamaica were ready to receive their infernal brethren; and there is no doubt, they would have been very loving in their fraternal embracements.

SAVANNAH, Jan. 21.

A PROCLAMATION by the famous BOWLES.

Head-quarters, Wickwa, Oct. 31, 1799.

Whereas divers perſons have been employed by the United States, and his Catholic Majeſty, ſanctioned by commiſſion, to diſſeminate diſcord, to make parties, and by every unlawful means to deceive our people, in order to effect the completion of a treaty made between the United States and his Catholic Majeſty at Philadelphia, in the month of Sept, 1795, with intentions to ſubvert and deſtroy the right of ſovereignty which this nation and its confederates have had from the beginning of time.

We, the Director-General of Muſkogee, being duly authoriſed, do hereby iſſue our proclamation, and direct that all perſons now reſiding within the territories of Muſkogee, holding any unlawful commiſſion under the United States or his Catholic Majeſty, or employed by them, are hereby ordered to depart theſe our territories, on or before the 8th Nov. next, as they will anſwer at their peril.

We do hereby alſo direct that after the ſaid 8th day of Nov. next, if any perſon or perſons are found holding ſaid commiſſions, or acting contrary to good order, he or they ſhall be arreſted as conſpirators, and proceeded againſt according to the law of nations eſtabliſhed in ſuch caſes.

WM. A. BOWLES.
Director-General of Muskogee.

LETTER FROM BOWLES.

I have now deſpatched all the talk to England, to Providence and Jamaica, by my boat. I hourly expect the arrival of a veſſel, which I ſhall, as ſoon as ſhe has diſcharged her load, ſend off with other copies or duplicates of them, in order that all may be ſure.

I incloſe you a copy of the proclamation reſpecting the Americans who have been employed in this country ſince I have been away, in order to deceive and deſtroy this Nation. I hope they are all gone, for it is not my wiſh to injure them; it is abſolutely neceſſary that they ſhould depart and that immediately, or they will forfeit the protection due to all men, and by the law of Nations ought to ſuffer death by being hanged as conſpirators againſt the peace, and ſovereignty of the Muſkogee.

There are ſome good men who have been employed by them; they were ignorant and did not know the conſequence of their employ. James Derezens at the Cowettas although he has had a commiſſion from the Spaniards he has not done much harm becauſe I ſtopped it. Mr. Hawkins [U. S. Indian Agent,] is the man, who, if he is not gone muſt go immediately, as he is a dangerous man and will cauſe ſome miſchief to you by ſtaying. I ſhall ſeize him if I find him, for not obeying the proclamation, and proceed againſt him according to law.

I requeſt you to make known this talk to all your towns. As my papers are not come down as yet, you had better keep them until you come yourſelf, or until I ſee you at your houſe, for as ſoon as I have deſpatched my buſineſs here I will pay a viſit to the towns, which I expect will not be long. The people whom I left behind me when I came to meet you at the Wekiwa having a great deal of rum, behaved very ill, they deſtroyed almoſt every thing I left with them, or let the water ſpoil it which is the ſame thing, which I feel more for the ſake of our beloved red people, than for myſelf, but it will not be long before all will be ſtraight.

I am your ſincere friend,

WILLIAM A. BOWLES.

To the Little Prince of the broken arrow, alias Cowappe Little Prince of Coweta Fallabaſſee.

It appears that moſt of the Simanolia Indians, and thoſe on the lower parts of the Chatahooche and Flint rivers, have joined Bowles. The deſpatches which Mr. Ellicott ſent from St. Marks to the Governors of Penſacola and Mobile, were taken by the adventuter's Indian ſcouts, and brought to him; with theſe deſpatches were duplicates of Mr. Ellicott's letters to the Secretary of the United States.

CHARLESTON, January 25.

Departed this life on Thurſday evening the 23d inſtant, his Excellency *EDWARD RUTLEDGE*, Eſq. Governor and Commander in Chief of this ſtate.

The amiable qualities of this reſpected man procured him the love of all who had the felicity to know him; his great qualities entitled him to the confidence of his fellow citizens, which he poſſeſſed in an eminent degree. His benevolence was unlimited, and his charity ſcarcely knew any other bounds than human miſery, and the extent of his fortune. In public life his ſervices have been greatly uſeful to his country, and his loſs will be felt in proportion as it will be difficult to fill up the immenſe void he leaves in ſociety. The ſuavity of his manners enabled him to preſerve the eſteem even of thoſe who differed from him in the thorny path of politics. His family and his friends have ſuſtained an irreparable loſs, for no man ever poſſeſſed in a higher degree than he did, the talents of rendering happy all who ſurrounded him and enjoyed his beloved ſociety.

He was indeed the ornament of our country, and he will be lamented as long as a rare union of virtue and talents ſhall be prized among men, and memory retains her ſeat—It is hoped that a ſketch of his life and ſervices will be preſented to the public, by ſome perſon qualified to render this ſervice to the country, and this duty to departed worth.

January 28.

A letter from Col. Gaither, commander of the Federal troops in Georgia, dated at Fort Wilkinſon, early in this month, mentions that the Captain-General of his Catholic Majeſty's Provinces, has iſſued a Proclamation, offering a reward of One Thouſand Pounds Sterling for William Auguſtus Bowles, who ſtyles himſelf *Director General of Muskogee*, to be paid on his delivery at any one of the royal priſons of ſaid Province.

February 4.

The ſloop Betſey, of Warren, from Norfolk, bound to Wilmington, N. C. 21 days out, in attempting to come in at the north channel of our bar on Sunday, ſtruck on the breakers, and ſoon after filled; the crew were ſaved.

BALTIMORE, Feb. 7.

Arrived, brig Tyger, Capt. Boden, from Cape-Francois, which he left on the 15th ult.

The United States ſchooner Experiment, Capt. Maley, with a convoy off the eaſt end of Gonaives, in the Bite of Leogane, was attacked about the 10th of January, by 12 of Riguad's barges; during the action three of them went on ſhore and renewed their crew; the day being calm, they had every advantage of the ſchooner, but after ſhe had ſunk three of them the remainder ſheered off; they however took poſſeſſion of a northern brig, Capt. Chipman, whom they inſtantly murdered, part of the crew ſaved themſelves by jumping overboard ſhe was afterwards retaken by one of Touſſaint's barges. Dr. Stevens was on board the Experiment at the time of the engagement.

On Saturday laſt, a moſt ſplendid entertainment was given at Peck's, by the Columbian Society, in reſpect to the perſecuted patriots late from Ireland, the well known, much-eſteemed, Henry Jackſon, Eſq; and Gen. Devereaux.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 6.

METEOR

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BOSTON, Feb. 12.

LITERARY NOVELTY.

We understand that a Manuscript has been purchased, within a few weeks past, of Dr. Wheelock, President of Dartmouth University, by Mr. Joseph Nancrede, bookseller, of this town, which he intends publishing in a short time.—It is a "Philosophical History of the Advancement of Nations; with an Inquiry into the Causes of their Rise and Decline."—From the known talents and industry of the Author, the subject treated of, the time he has bestowed on it, and the expectations of Gentlemen who are acquainted with him, the public claims, high as they are, will not remain unsatisfied.

NEW-BEDFORD, Feb. 14.

SUICIDE.—On the night of the 8th inst. Capt. Isaac Lawrence, of Westport, after having been missing, as we are informed, about five hours, was found about midnight, suspended from a tree, with a rope round his neck, within half a mile of his house.—It was supposed that he had been dead but a short time, when found; and the circumstances attending this melancholy occurrence were such, as to leave no doubt but he perpetrated the deed with his own hands.—Capt. Lawrence, for about a year past, had been rather deranged in his mind.—It is but justice to his memory to say, that he honorably discharged the duties of an husband, a parent, a neighbour, and a friend.

PROVIDENCE, February 15.

A plan is in contemplation, and we hope will be carried into effect, for establishing a Turnpike from Warren to this town, and straightening the road, so as to save at least two miles in distance. A meeting of a number of public-spirited gentlemen was held at Warren, for this purpose, on Thursday last.

NEWPORT, *February* 18.

The Legislature of New-York have resolved publicly to testify their Sorrow for the Death of General WASHINGTON, and Reverence for his Virtues, by a religious Observation of the 22d Instant.

Thursday the third of April next is appointed to be observed as a Day of public Fasting, Humiliation and Prayer, in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

The United States Gazette of February 3, says, That an high Officer is rumoured to be in Possession of Advices, that BUONAPARTE has declared an Intention to restore Monarchy to France, and has declared himself Regent of the Kingdom.

The Hon. Judge Chase, in crossing the Susquehannah lately, fell in; and was taken from the River almost lifeless.

The Underwriters of Lloyd's Coffee-House, London, have liberally rewarded all on board the American Ship Planter, of Richmond, Virginia, for the Defence they made against the Attack of a French Privateer: To the Captain they have given One Gallon Silver Cup, Two small Ones and a Ladle, all suitably engraved; and 100 Guineas in Cash: To the 1st Mate, 50 Guineas; 2d Mate, 30; Boatswain, 20; Gunner, 20; Sailors, 8 each; wounded Sailors, 15 each; the Relatives of Sailors killed, 50; Two Ladies, Passengers, Gold Watches; Gentlemen Passengers, elegant Swords.

The President has appointed JOHN LAMSON, Esq; of Massachusetts, Consul of the United States, for the Port of Trieste.

The Hon. JOHN SMITH, Esq; is elected Federal Representative, of the first District, in the State of New-York, in the Room of JONATHAN N. HAVENS, deceased.

The Delaware is froze over, and the Ice is of sufficient Strength to admit of crossing with Safety.

MARRIED.]—'At Little-Compton, on Sunday Evening, the 9th of this Instant, Mr. *Henry Brownell*, Son of Mr. Gideon Brownell, to the amiable and much respected Miss *Ruth Shaw*, Daughter of the late Mr. Peter Shaw.'

—'Mr. *Edmund Brownell*, to Miss *Mary Bailey*, Daughter of Mr. Ephraim Bailey.'

DIED.]—At Gloucester, in the 58th year of her age, Mrs. *Mehitabel Davenport*, consort of Mr. William Davenport.

—At Warwick, Mrs. *Mary Mondon*, in the 85th Year of her Age, formerly of this Town.

—In this Town, on Tuesday last, of a lingering Sickness in the 15th Year of his Age, Mr. *Enoch Tobey*, Son of Capt. Enoch Tobey, late of Berkley, Massachusetts.

—Mrs. *Mary Rogers*, Relict of the late Capt. Jonathan Rogers, in the 85th Year of her Age.

At a Town-Meeting, specially called, on Friday last, FRANCIS MALBONE, Esq; Moderator, the following Resolves were passed, viz.

WHEREAS the President of the United States, in Pursuance of a Resolution of Congress, issued a Proclamation, "recommending to the People of the United States to assemble on the 22d Feb. Instant, in such Numbers and Manner as may be convenient, publicly to testify their Grief for the Death of General *GEORGE WASHINGTON*, by suitable Eulogies, Orations and Discourses, or by public Prayers."

Resolved, That it be and is hereby recommended to the Inhabitants of this Town, to assemble at their usual Places of Public Worship on said 22d Day of *February* instant, and to observe the same agreeably to the aforesaid Proclamation.

That Messrs. *Joseph Rogers*, *Samuel Vinson*, and *Robert N. Auchmuty*, be and they are hereby appointed a Committee, to wait on the Clergy of the respective Societies, and communicate to them this Resolution.

Resolved, That it be and is hereby Recommended to the Inhabitants of this Town to suspend all Business, and abstain from Recreations.—That the Ship Owners be requested to cause the Colours of their Vessels to be hoisted Half-Mast on said Day.

Voted, That the above Resolutions be published in the next *Newport Mercury*.

A true Copy from the Records:
Witness, JONATHAN ALMY, *Town-Clerk.*

Artillery Company of the Town of Newport, 18th February, 1800.

The Captain requests the Members of the Company to wear their Uniforms, Side-Arms, and Badges of Mourning, on Saturday next, as a Tribute of Respect to the Memory of the illustrious *WASHINGTON*. *By Order*,

HOLMES WEAVER, *Clerk.*

NEWPORT INSURANCE COMPANY's MARINE LIST.

February 13.

Arrived, Brig Caroline, of New-Haven, John Miller, Master, from St. Kitts, last from St. Thomas', 19 Days, laden with Salt. Capt. Miller informs, that he sailed the 25th Jan. with a Fleet of 40 Sail, under Convoy of the United States Brig Pickering—parted from Convoy in Lat. 24.—that the U. S. Ship Connecticut brought into St. Kitts the Privateer Brig Conquest of Italy, 14 Guns—coppered.—U. S. Ship Adams and Brig Eagle, sent into St. Kitts a French Privateer Schooner of 10 Guns—U. S. Ship Baltimore has also sent into St. Kitts a French Privateer Schooner of 10 Guns.

Arrived at St. Kitts 15th Jan. U. S. Frigate John Adams—brought in with her a retaken Ship, originally Spanish.

Arrived at the same Place, 20th January, U. S. Ship Constellation.—French Insurgents at Antigua, putting in new Foremast.

Arrived same Day, Schooner Neutrality, of New-Haven, from same Place, Elnathan Attwater, Master, sailed with the above Convoy—loading Salt, Steel and Raw Hides, carried away Main Boom on Sunday last.

February 14.

Arrived Brig Caroline, of New-Haven, Benjamin Bracket, Master, sailed under Convoy of U. S. Brig Pickering; was robbed by a French Privateer, Day after parting with the Fleet, of Four Hundred Dollars, all their wearing Apparel; also another Vessel in Company, plundered by the same Privateer, of Eight Hundred Dollars.

Also arrived in Narraganset-Bay, the Ship Two-Eagles, Prize to the Boston Frigate, laden with Coffee; pierced for 16 Guns, hath Eight mounted, Corvette built, and is coppered; 18 Days since taken; Prize-Master, ———, First Lieutenant, Robert Haswell.

February 16.

Arrived, Capt. Joseph Batty, in the Brig Fanny and Eliza, from St. Croix; sailed the 23d Jan. in Company with Two English Guineamen, one bound to Africa and the other to Liverpool; and the American Brigs the Fair Hebe of Philadelphia, and Catharine of New-York, under Convoy of the Two Guineamen mentioned above, mounting 16 Guns each; on the 24th the Two armed Ships brought in a Swedish Ship, which had lost her Main-mast; on the 14th Feb. Capt. B. had a heavy Gale of Wind at E. S. E. blowing so hard was obliged to stand before it till the Brig was in 10 Fathoms, and then hove to; but the Gale increasing was obliged to wear her before it again, in order to run her ashore, in Hopes to save the Crew; and when she was within Half a Mile of the Beach, the Wind took her aback from the Westward, which fortunately saved the Brig and Crew from being lost.—Same Day spoke a Ship from New-York, bound to Liverpool, Name unknown.

February 17.

Arrived this Morning, the Brig Hiram, Earl, of Providence, from Charleston, in 12 Days.

Also arrived this Day, the ship Two Eagles, Prize to the Boston Frigate, as mentioned above.

Meteorological TABLE. Fahren. Therm.

1800. February.	Thermo. 8 A.M. Deg.	Thermo. 2 P.M. Deg.	Wind. 8 A.M.	Wind. 2 P.M.	Weather. 8 A.M.	Weather. 2 P.M.
11	26	36	SW.	W.	Fair.	Do.
12	26	26	NW.	W.	Fair.	Do.
13	14	27½	W.	W.	Fair.	Do.
14	31	32½	NE.	E.	Cloudy.	Snow.
15	38	41	W.	W.	Cloudy.	Cloudy.
16	25½	26½	W.	W.	Fair.	Do.
17	19	31½	NW.	Do.	Fair.	Do.

CUSTOM-HOUSE,

District of NEWPORT, Feb. 17.

ENTERED,	From
Sloop Eagle, Greene,	New-York
Briton, Ladue,	Ditto
Two Sisters, Earl,	Ditto
Gen. Greene, Waldin,	Providence
Sally, Westcott,	Ditto
Eagle, Read,	Boston
Schooner Neutrality, Attwater,	St. Thomas's
Brig Caroline, Miller,	Ditto

CLEARED,	For
Brig Sally, Hicks,	Jamaica
Bristol, Clarke,	Havanna
Schooner New Hope, Killey,	New-York
Sloop Franklin, Bennet,	Boston
Gen. Greene, Waldin,	Providence
Union, Carr,	New-York

To be Sold, at PUBLIC AUCTION, at the House of the late ROBERT CORNELL, deceased, in Middletown, on Friday the 28th of Feb. inst. at 10 o'Clock, A. M. if fair, if not the next fair Day,

A Quantity of STOCK, consisting of Oxen, Cows, Horses, &c. with Two Carts, and sundry other Articles of Farming Utensils.

RUTH CORNELL, Administratrix.
February 18, 1800.

C. FOWLER & Comp.
HAVE FOR SALE,
A fresh Supply of *Baltimore, Alexandria* and *New-York*,
FLOUR,
per Quantity, single Barrel, or Half Barrel.
ALSO,
A general Assortment of GROCERIES, as usual.
Newport, Feb. 17, 1800.

HENRY G. CHAMPLIN
Has for Sale,
PORK by the Barrel; Salt-Petre'd Hams of the first Quality; good Cod-Fish by the Quantity; Hog's Lard, &c.
Newport, Feb. 18, 1800.

SIMEON MARTIN
Has for Sale, for Cash, or on a reasonable Credit, with approved Notes, payable at the Bank of Rhode-Island,
GOOD Retailing Molasses per Hogshead; Old 3d Proof Windward-Island Rum; New-England Rum per Hogshead or Barrel; 100 Barrels of Herrings; 400 Quintals of Cod-Fish; Spermaceti Candles per Box; Rock Salt per Bushel; Hemp per Ton; Swede's Iron, flat and square Bars, per Dozen or Hundred; Souchong Tea per Chest; Bohea Tea per Ditto or Dozen; Russia and Ravens Duck.
Linens; Diapers; Checks; small and large Table-Cloths, per Piece.
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GODFREY WENWOOD
Has for Sale,
A large Quantity of SHIP-BREAD, of an excellent Quality; and WHEAT BRAN, by the Bushel.
February 18.

FOR SALE,

A House and Lot in Broad-street, with a Stable, Chaise-House, &c. belonging thereto.—The House is in good Repair, has a good Well of Water, and the Lot on which it stands is bounded on Two Streets.—Apply to ISRAEL AMBROSE.
Newport, Feb. 17, 1800.

FOR SALE,

THE House and Wharf, with the Stores, Stables, and other Buildings belonging thereto, now in the Occupation of Messrs. Malbone.—For further Particulars apply to THOMAS TOWNSEND, who is empowered to dispose of the same.
Newport, 17th Feb. 1800.

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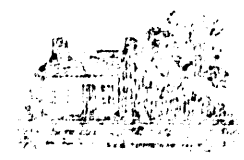

A FARM, on the South Side of Exeter, to the Eastward of the Centre of the Town, containing 200 Acres, well wooded and watered, with a Dwelling-House and Stable thereon, together with an Orchard of grafted Fruit not fully grown, as also a young Orchard adjoining the above—Said Farm is bounded westerly on a River, called Beaver River, which serves instead of a Fence.—For further Particulars apply to
JOHN HOXSEY.
Exeter, Feb. 7, 1800.

FOR SALE,
And Possession given immediately,

An excellent LOT of LAND, containing 36 Acres and Two-Thirds—pleasantly situated on the East Side of the Island of Conanicut, three Miles Northward of the Ferries, and is bounded by the main Road and Salt Water.—The above Land is exceeding good for mowing, pasturing, or plowing—has a large Proportion of Meadow, with Part of a young Orchard in full bearing, besides a number of different Sorts of Fruit Trees,—is extraordinary well watered with two good Wells and a Pond of Standing Water, which seldom fails.——The Subscriber flatters himself, that for Beauty and convenience of Situation, it is not inferior to any in the State of Rhode-Island, and it will be sold very cheap, for Cash, considering the Quality of the Land.

Also, for Sale, (if the Land is sold,) a Yoke of Oxen six Years old, Five good Cows, and Ten Sheep.——For further Particulars apply to PELEG CARR, near the Premises.
Jamestown, 14th Feb. 1800.

To be SOLD, by
WILLIAM LANGLEY,
At his Shop in Thames-street,
A general Assortment of Joiner's and Carpenter's PLANES, &c. made by JOSHUA WILBOUR, late of this Town:—A constant Supply of which he proposes to keep.
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BOSTON, Feb. 12.

LITERARY NOVELTY.

We underſtand that a Manuſcript has been purchaſed, within a few weeks paſt, of Dr. Wheelock, Preſident of Dartmouth Univerſity, by Mr. Joſeph Nancrede, bookſeller, of this town, which he intends publiſhing in a ſhort time.—It is a "Philoſophical Hiſtory of the Advancement of Nations; with an Inquiry into the Cauſes of their Riſe and Decline."—From the known talents and induſtry of the Author, the ſubject treated of, the time he has beſtowed on it, and the expectations of Gentlemen who are acquainted with him, the public claims, high as they are, will not remain unſatisfied.

NEW-BEDFORD, Feb. 14.

SUICIDE.—On the night of the 8th inſt. Capt. Iſaac Lawrence, of Weſtport, after having been miſſing, as we are informed, about five hours, was found about midnight, ſuſpended from a tree, with a rope round his neck, within half a mile of his houſe.—It was ſuppoſed that he had been dead but a ſhort time, when found; and the circumſtances attending this melancholy occurrence were ſuch, as to leave no doubt but he perpetrated the deed with his own hands.—Capt. Lawrence, for about a year paſt, had been rather deranged in his mind.—It is but juſtice to his memory to ſay, that he honorably diſcharged the duties of an huſband, a parent, a neighbour, and a friend.

PROVIDENCE, February 15.

A plan is in contemplation, and we hope will be carried into effect, for eſtabliſhing a Turnpike from Warren to this town, and ſtraightening the road, ſo as to ſave at leaſt two miles in diſtance. A meeting of a number of public-ſpirited gentlemen was held at Warren, for this purpoſe, on Thurſday laſt.

NEWPORT, *February* 18.

The Legiſlature of New-York have reſolved publicly to teſtify their Sorrow for the Death of General WASHINGTON, and Reverence for his Virtues, by a religious Obſervation of the 22d Inſtant.

Thurſday the third of April next is appointed to be obſerved as a Day of public Faſting, Humiliation and Prayer, in the Commonwealth of Maſſachuſetts.

The United States Gazette of February 3, ſays, That an high Officer is rumoured to be in Poſſeſſion of Advices, that BUONAPARTE has declared an Intention to reſtore Monarchy to France, and has declared himſelf Regent of the Kingdom.

The Hon. Judge Chaſe, in croſſing the Suſquehannah lately, fell in; and was taken from the River almoſt lifeleſs.

The Underwriters of Lloyd's Coffee-Houſe, London, have liberally rewarded all on board the American Ship Planter, of Richmond, Virginia, for the Defence they made againſt the Attack of a French Privateer: To the Captain they have given One Gallon Silver Cup, Two ſmall Ones and a Ladle, all ſuitably engraved; and 100 Guineas in Caſh: To the 1ſt Mate, 50 Guineas; 2d Mate, 30; Boatſwain, 20; Gunner, 20; Sailors, 8 each; wounded Sailors, 15 each; the Relatives of Sailors killed, 50; Two Ladies, Paſſengers, Gold Watches; Gentlemen Paſſengers, elegant Swords.

The Preſident has appointed JOHN LAMSON, Eſq; of Maſſachuſetts, Conſul of the United States, for the Port of Trieſte.

The Hon. JOHN SMITH, Eſq; is elected Federal Repreſentative, of the firſt Diſtrict, in the State of New-York, in the Room of JONATHAN N. HAVENS, deceaſed.

The Delaware is froze over, and the Ice is of ſufficient Strength to admit of croſſing with Safety.

MARRIED.]—'At Little-Compton, on Sunday Evening, the 9th of this Inſtant, Mr. *Henry Brownell*, Son of Mr. Gideon Brownell, to the amiable and much reſpected Miſs *Ruth Shaw*, Daughter of the late Mr. Peter Shaw.'

—'Mr. *Edmund Brownell*, to Miſs *Mary Bailey*, Daughter of Mr. Ephraim Bailey.'

DIED.]—At Glouceſter, in the 58th year of her age, Mrs. *Mehitabel Davenport*, conſort of Mr. William Davenport.

—At Warwick, Mrs. *Mary Mondon*, in the 85th Year of her Age, formerly of this Town.

—In this Town, on Tueſday laſt, of a lingering Sickneſs in the 15th Year of his Age, Mr. *Enoch Tobey*, Son of Capt. Enoch Tobey, late of Berkley, Maſſachuſetts.

—Mrs. *Mary Rogers*, Relict of the late Capt. Jonathan Rogers, in the 85th Year of her Age.

At a Town-Meeting, ſpecially called, on Friday laſt, FRANCIS MALBONE, Eſq; Moderator, the following Reſolves were paſſed, viz.

WHEREAS the Preſident of the United States, in Purſuance of a Reſolution of Congreſs, iſſued a Proclamation, "recommending to the People of the United States to aſſemble on the 22d Feb. Inſtant, in ſuch Numbers and Manner as may be convenient, publicly to teſtify their Grief for the Death of General *GEORGE WASHINGTON*, by ſuitable Eulogies, Orations and Diſcourſes, or by public Prayers."

Reſolved, That it be and is hereby recommended to the Inhabitants of this Town, to aſſemble at their uſual Places of Public Worſhip on ſaid 22d Day of *February* inſtant, and to obſerve the ſame agreeably to the aforeſaid Proclamation.

That Meſſrs. *Joſeph Rogers*, *Samuel Vinſon*, and *Robert N. Auchmuty*, be and they are hereby appointed a Committee, to wait on the Clergy of the reſpective Societies, and communicate to them this Reſolution.

Reſolved, That it be and is hereby Recommended to the Inhabitants of this Town to ſuſpend all Buſineſs, and abſtain from Recreations.—That the Ship Owners be requeſted to cauſe the Colours of their Veſſels to be hoiſted Half-Maſt on ſaid Day.

Voted, That the above Reſolutions be publiſhed in the next *Newport Mercury*.

A true Copy from the Records:
Witneſs, JONATHAN ALMY, *Town-Clerk.*

Artillery Company of the Town of Newport, 18th February, 1800.

The Captain requeſts the Members of the Company to wear their Uniforms, Side-Arms, and Badges of Mourning, on Saturday next, as a Tribute of Reſpect to the Memory of the illuſtrious *WASHINGTON*.

By Order,
HOLMES WEAVER, *Clerk.*

NEWPORT INSURANCE COMPANY's
MARINE LIST.

February 13.

Arrived, Brig Caroline, of New-Haven, John Miller, Maſter, from St. Kitts, laſt from St. Thomas', 19 Days, laden with Salt. Capt. Miller informs, that he ſailed the 25th Jan. with a Fleet of 40 Sail, under Convoy of the United States Brig Pickering—parted from Convoy in Lat. 24.—that the U. S. Ship Connecticut brought into St. Kitts the Privateer Brig Conqueſt of Italy, 14 Guns—coppered.—U. S. Ship Adams and Brig Eagle, ſent into St. Kitts a French Privateer Schooner of 10 Guns—U. S. Ship Baltimore has alſo ſent into St. Kitts a French Privateer Schooner of 10 Guns.

Arrived at St. Kitts 15th Jan. U. S. Frigate John Adams—brought in with her a retaken Ship, originally Spaniſh.

Arrived at the ſame Place, 20th January, U. S. Ship Conſtellation.—French Inſurgente at Antigua, putting in new Foremaſt.

Arrived ſame Day, Schooner Neutrality, of New-Haven, from ſame Place, Elnathan Attwater, Maſter, ſailed with the above Convoy—loading Salt, Steel and Raw Hides, carried away Main Boom on Sunday laſt.

February 14.

Arrived Brig Caroline, of New-Haven, Benjamin Bracket, Maſter, ſailed under Convoy of U. S. Brig Pickering; was robbed by a French Privateer, Day after parting with the Fleet, of Four Hundred Dollars, all their wearing Apparel; alſo another Veſſel in Company, plundered by the ſame Privateer, of Eight Hundred Dollars.

Alſo arrived in Narraganſet-Bay, the Ship Two-Eagles, Prize to the Boſton Frigate, laden with Coffee; pierced for 16 Guns, hath Eight mounted, Corvette built, and is coppered; 18 Days ſince taken; Prize-Maſter, ———, First Lieutenant, Robert Haſwell.

February 16.

Arrived, Capt. Joſeph Batty, in the Brig Fanny and Eliza, from St. Croix; ſailed the 23d Jan. in Company with Two Engliſh Guineamen, one bound to Africa and the other to Liverpool; and the American Brigs the Fair Hebe of Philadelphia, and Catharine of New-York, under Convoy of the Two Guineamen mentioned above, mounting 16 Guns each; on the 24th the Two armed Ships brought to a Swediſh Ship, which had loſt her Mainmaſt; on the 14th Feb. Capt. B. had a heavy Gale of Wind at E. S. E. blowing ſo hard was obliged to ſtand before it, till the Brig was in 10 Fathoms, and then hove to; but the Gale increaſing was obliged to put her before it again, in order to run her aſhore, in Hopes to ſave the Crew; and when ſhe was within Half a Mile of the Beach, the Wind took her aback from the Weſtward, which fortunately ſaved the Brig and Crew from being loſt.—Same Day ſpoke a Ship from New-York, bound to Liverpool, Name unknown.

February 17.

Arrived this Morning, the Brig Hiram, Earl, of Providence, from Charleſton, in 12 Days.

Alſo arrived this Day, the ſhip Two Eagles, Prize to the Boſton Frigate, as mentioned above.

Meteorological TABLE. Fahren. Therm. 1800.

February.	Thermo. 8 A. M.	Deg.	Thermo. 2 P. M.	Wind. 8 A. M.	Wind. 2 P. M.	Weather. 8 A. M.	Weather. 2 P. M.
11	26		36	SW.	W.	Fair.	Do.
12	26		26	NW.	W.	Fair.	Do.
13	14		27½	W.	W.	Fair.	Do.
14	31		32½	NE.	E.	Cloudy.	Snow.
15	38		41	W.	W.	Cloudy.	Cloudy.
16	25½		26½	W.	W.	Fair.	Do.
17	19		31½	NW.	Do.	Fair.	Do.

CUSTOM-HOUSE,

District of NEWPORT, Feb. 17.

ENTERED,	*From*
Sloop Eagle, Greene,	New-York
Briton, Ladue,	Ditto
Two Siſters, Earl,	Ditto
Gen. Greene, Waldin,	Providence
Sally, Weſtcott,	Ditto
Eagle, Read,	Boſton
Schooner Neutrality, Attwater,	St. Thomas's
Brig Caroline, Miller,	Ditto
CLEARED,	*For*
Brig Sally, Hicks,	Jamaica
Briſtol, Clarke,	Havanna
Schooner New Hope, Killey,	New-York
Sloop Franklin, Bennet,	Boſton
Gen. Greene, Waldin,	Providence
Union, Carr,	New-York

To be Sold, at PUBLIC AUCTION, at the Houſe of the late ROBERT CORNELL, deceaſed, in Middletown, on Friday the 28th of Feb. inſt. at 10 o'Clock, A. M. if fair, if not the next fair Day,

A Quantity of STOCK, conſiſting of Oxen, Cows, Horſes, &c. with Two Carts, and ſundry other Articles of Farming Utenſils.

RUTH CORNELL, Adminiſtratrix.
February 18, 1800.

C. FOWLER & Comp.
HAVE FOR SALE,
A freſh Supply of *Baltimore*, *Alexandria* and *New-York*,
FLOUR,
per Quantity, ſingle Barrel, or Half Barrel.
ALSO,
A general Aſſortment of GROCERIES, as uſual.
Newport, Feb. 17, 1800.

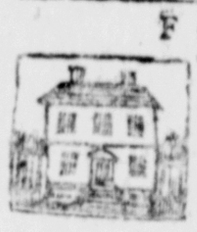
HENRY G. CHAMPLIN
Has for Sale,
PORK by the Barrel; Salt-Petre'd Hams of the firſt Quality; good Cod-Fiſh by the Quantity; Hog's Lard, &c.
Newport, Feb. 18, 1800.

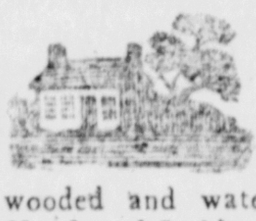
SIMEON MARTIN
Has for Sale, for Caſh, or on a reaſonable Credit, with approved Notes, payable at the Bank of Rhode-Iſland,
GOOD Retailing Molaſſes per Hogſhead; Old 3d Proof Windward-Iſland Rum; New-England Rum per Hogſhead or Barrel; 100 Barrels of Herrings; 400 Quintals of Cod-Fiſh; Spermaceti Candles per Box; Rock Salt per Buſhel; Hemp per Ton; Swede's Iron, flat and ſquare Bars, per Dozen or Hundred; Souchong Tea per Cheſt; Bohea Tea per Ditto or Dozen; Ruſſia and Ravens Duck.
Linens; Diapers; Checks; ſmall and large Table-Cloths, per Piece.
Newport, Feb. 18, 1800.

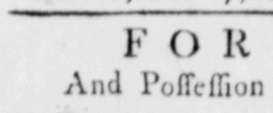
GODFREY WENWOOD
Has for Sale,
A large Quantity of SHIP-BREAD, of an excellent Quality; and WHEAT BRAN, by the Buſhel.
February 18.

FOR SALE,

A Houſe and Lot in Broad-ſtreet, with a Stable, Chaiſe-Houſe, &c. belonging thereto.—The Houſe is in good Repair, has a good Well of Water, and the Lot on which it ſtands is bounded on Two Streets.—Apply to ISRAEL AMBROSE.
Newport, Feb. 17, 1800.

FOR SALE,

THE Houſe and Wharf, with the Stores, Stables, and other Buildings belonging thereto, now in the Occupation of Mrs. Malbone.—For further Particulars apply to THOMAS TOWNSEND, who is empowered to diſpoſe of the ſame.
Newport, 17th Feb. 1800.

FOR SALE,

A FARM, on the South Side of Exeter, to the Eaſtward of the Centre of the Town, containing 200 Acres, well wooded and watered, with a Dwelling-Houſe and Stable thereon, together with an Orchard of grafted Fruit not fully grown, as alſo a young Orchard adjoining the above—Said Farm is bounded weſterly on a River, called Beaver River, which ſerves inſtead of a Fence.—For further Particulars apply to
JOHN HOXSEY.
Exeter, Feb. 7, 1800.

FOR SALE,
And Poſſeſſion given immediately,

An excellent LOT of LAND, containing 36 Acres and Two-Thirds—pleaſantly ſituated on the Eaſt Side of the Iſland of Conanicut, three Miles Northward of the Ferries, and is bounded by the main Road and Salt Water.—The above Land is exceeding good for mowing, paſturing, or plowing—has a large Proportion of Meadow, with Part of a young Orchard in full bearing, beſides a number of different Sorts of Fruit Trees,—is extraordinary well watered with two good Wells and a Pond of Standing Water, which ſeldom fails.——The Subſcriber flatters himſelf, that for Beauty and convenience of Situation, it is not inferior to any in the State of Rhode-Iſland, and it will be ſold very cheap, for Caſh, conſidering the Quality of the Land.
Alſo, for Sale, (if the Land is ſold,) a Yoke of Oxen ſix Years old, Five good Cows, and Ten Sheep.——For further Particulars apply to PELEG CARR, near the Premiſes.
Jamestown, 14th Feb. 1800.

To be SOLD, by
WILLIAM LANGLEY,
At his Shop in Thames-ſtreet,
A general Aſſortment of Joiner's and Carpenter's PLANES, &c. made by JOSHUA WILBOUR, late of this Town:—A conſtant Supply of which he propoſes to keep.
Newport, Dec. 10, 1799.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on FRIDAY the 21ſt Day of February next, at XI o'Clock, A. M.

A Large, Three-Story DWELLING-HOUSE, with the Two Shops adjoining:——Very conveniently ſituated in a public Part of the Town—late the Eſtate of OLIVER DURFEE, Eſq; deceaſed.

Newport, January 20, 1800.

STONE WALL.

Any Perſon willing to contract for building *by the Rod*, about 1 or 200 Rods of lawful Wall (on this Farm) may hear of Employment by applying to the Subſcriber.

They will have the Stones to dig out of a Quarry (literally above Ground) and to cart the ſame to the ſpot—the Work to be finiſhed during the Courſe of the preſent Summer.

S. ELAM.

Portsmouth, 1ſt Feb. 1800.

N. B. If the Perſons who may be Employed, give Satisfaction, and think it an Object to engage further, it is very probable they will have Work during the whole Seaſon.

To FARMERS.

Wanted a ſober, induſtrious Man, of good Character, who underſtands the farming Buſineſs and the Care of Cattle, to have the Management (under myſelf) of the Farm I live upon.—Any Perſon of this Deſcription, willing to engage themſelves by the Month or Year, may hear of Employment, by applying to

S. ELAM.

Portsmouth, 1ſt Feb. 1800.

FIVE DOLLARS Reward.

LOST, a Poſt-Note, No. 1258, drawn by the Bank of New-York, in Favour of JAMES NOYES, dated March 25, 1799, for *Five Hundred and Seventy-ſix Dollars and* 14-100*ths*, which Note was indorſed by Samuel Reynolds, in a Letter directed to James Noyes, Weſterly, Rhode-Iſland, and under Cover to Rowſe Babcock, Poſt-Maſter, Weſterly, and put into the Poſt-Office in New-York, on the 26th of March, 1799, ſince which, Nothing can be diſcovered of the Note or Letter.——Any Perſon finding ſaid Note, and returning it to Samuel Reynolds, Merchant, New-York, or to Doctor James Noyes, Weſterly, ſhall receive the above Reward.—Payment is ſtopped at the Bank, therefore it cannot be of Uſe to any Perſon.

Weſterly, Dec. 5, 1799.

JAMES TAYLOR & Co.

Inform the Public,

THAT they have reſumed their *Buſineſs*, which has been for ſome Time ſuſpended on account of the Sickneſs of two of the concerned.

They offer for Sale, a large Aſſortment of freſh and genuine

DRUGS and MEDICINES.

Orders from the *Country* executed at Wholeſale Prices, and the Town Retail Buſineſs attended to with the utmoſt Caution and Fidelity.

MEDICINE CHESTS for the Eaſt and Weſt-Indies, and Africa, with ample and ſuitable Directions ſupplied at ſhort Notice, at reduced Prices.

Dye Stuffs, Painters Colours, &c. &c. as uſual.

Newport, January 1, 1800.

NEWPORT and *NEW-LONDON*

New Line of STAGES:

From New-London to Newport, twice a Week, through Groton, Stonington, Weſterly, Charleſtown, and South-Kingſtown, &c.

(FOR THE WINTR SEASON)

—*AS FOLLOWS*:—

Leave New-London, Mondays and Thurſdays, at 9, A. M.

Arrive at Newport, Tueſdays and Fridays, at 12, A. M.

RETURNING,

Leave Newport, Tueſdays and Fridays, at 2, P. M.

Arrive at New-London, Wedneſdays and Saturdays, at 6, P. M.

EACH Paſſenger pays from New-London Ferry to Narraganſet Ferry, Three Dollars the Remainder of the Road pays Fourpence Halfpenny per Mile, and are allowed Fourteen Pounds Baggage, each:——One Hundred Pounds extra Baggage pays the ſame as a Paſſenger.

Paſſengers at *Newport* may apply to Mr. *Townſend's*; and at *New-London*, at Mr. *Frink's* Tavern, where the Driver will call previous to his leaving thoſe Places.

ALL Favours will be gratefully received, and thankfully acknowledged, by the Public's obedient and very humble Servants,

PETER CRARY & CO.

Stonington-Port, October 21, 1799.

Juſt Received, and for Sale, by

WILLIAM R. WILDER,

At his *BOOK-STORE* and *CIRCULATING-LIBRARY*,

Nearly oppoſite Meſſrs. Gibbs & Channing's *Store*,

A Large and General Aſſortment of BOOKS & STATIONARY, which will be Sold at the loweſt poſſible Prices.

Among which are,

Large Bibles, of 10 different Kinds.
Small Ditto, per Dozen or Single.
Teſtaments, per Dozen or Single.
Watts's Pſalms and Hymns, per Ditto.
1500 Webſter's Spelling-Books, & 3d Parts.
A general Aſſortment of Accompt Books, Ledgers, &c.
Almanacks for 1800, of 3 different Kinds, by the Groce, Dozen or Single.
Sheet Ditto, very convenient for Stores and Compting-Rooms.
Children's Picture-Books, Primers, &c. of 50 different Kinds, by the Groce, Dozen or ſingle.
300 Reams of Writing-Paper, various Sizes and Prices.
Wrapping Ditto per ſingle or Dozen Reams.
Playing Cards by the Groce, Dozen or ſingle Pack.
Slates and Slate Pencils, by the Dozen or ſingle.
Real Dutch Quills, by the 1000 or leſs.
Black and Red Ink-Powder, by the Dozen or ſingle Paper.
A great Variety of Ladies & Gentlemen's Red Morocco Pocket-Books, with and without Inſtruments.
A beautiful Aſſortment of Penknives, Deſk Knives, Folders, &c.
Beſt Iriſh glazed Wafers.
Genuine Dutch Sealing-Wax, Red & Black.
2 Caſes of Engliſh Hats, imported in the Minerva, of the lateſt London *Faſhions*.
A ſmall Aſſortment of Jewelry, Perfumery, &c. &c. with very many other Articles too numerous for an Advertiſement.

☞ Large Additions are made, and are daily making, to his CIRCULATING-LIBRARY.

Newport, Nov. 11, 1799.

N. B. A few Boxes real Havanna Segars.

HENRY G. CHAMPLIN

Informs the Public, and his Friends and Cuſtomers in general,

That he has juſt received,

A new Supply of GOODS,—ſuitable for the preſent Seaſon, well aſſorted, by Wholeſale and Retail, cheap for Caſh, in Thames-ſtreet, oppoſite Mr. Robert Stevens's.

FOR SALE,

THE United States SHIP, GEORGE WASHINGTON, of 32 Guns, now lying in the Harbour of Newport—the principal Part of her Timbers are Live Oak and Red Cedar; ſhe is very burthenſome, and calculated for the INDIA Buſineſs.——To be ſold with, or without her Guns and military Equipment.

Inventory may be ſeen, and the Terms known, by applying to

GIBBS & CHANNING.

December 31, 1799.

TO BE SOLD, OR LET,

A Farm in Point-Judith, South-Kingſtown. For Particulars inquire of

HENRY POTTER.

Newport, Feb. 3, 1800.

C. FOWLER & Company,

HAVE FOR SALE,

30,000 Wt. Hiſpaniola Coffee,
4000 Wt. Cotton,
300 Bolts Ruſſia and Ravens Duck,
2 Hogſheads Virginia Tobacco,
30 Crates of CROCKERY:—Containing a great Variety of Cream coloured and figured WARE.

Together with a general Aſſortment of

GROCERIES,

And a conſtant Supply of Superfine and Common

FLOUR,

per Quantity or ſingle Barrel.

Shopkeepers in Town and Country, are invited to call at the above Store for Supplies, where they may depend on being furniſhed on the moſt reaſonable Terms.

Newport, Jan. 20, 1800.

BENJAMIN HILL

Reſpectfully informs his old Customers and the Public in general, that he has opened a Store next Northward of Meſſrs. Gibbs & Channing's, where he has

AN Aſſortment of WEST-INDIA GOODS, cheap for Caſh.

He alſo continues his BAKING BUSINESS as uſual, on the Wharf below his Houſe—where any Merchant or Captain of Veſſel may be ſupplied with any Quantity of Ship or Pilot Bread, or Crackers, at the ſhorteſt Notice.

SIMEON MARTIN

Has for Sale, for Caſh, or on a reaſonable Credit, with approved Notes, payable at the Bank of Rhode-Iſland,

GOOD Retailing Surinam and Havanna MOLASSES, by the Hogſhead, Tierce or Barrel; old 3d Proof Windward-Iſland Rum; New-England Rum by the Hogſhead or Barrel; Meſs and prime Pork and Beef by the Barrel; Rice by the Caſk; Whale Oil by the Ton; Rock Salt by the Hundred Buſhels, or leſs Quantity; Pilot Bread by the Barrel; and Two Pair of Three-Pound Cannon, with all their Apparatus complete.

Newport, July 29, 1799.

JOHN & HENRY CAHOONE,

Have for Sale at their Store on Baniſter's Wharf,

BROWN SUGAR by the Hogſhead or Barrel; 4th Proof Jamaica Rum by the Hogſhead; Molaſſes by the Hogſhead; Flour by the Barrel; Prime Pork by Ditto; prime and Cargo Beef by Ditto; Pimento by the Bag; Roſin by the Barrel; Powder by the Caſk; Sheathing Paper by the Hundred; Salt petre'd Hams; Candles by the Box; and a few Gin-Caſes.

—ALSO—

LIQUORS, of the beſt Kind, a general Aſſortment, and various other Articles in the Grocery Line, a complete Aſſortment of which they propoſe to be conſtantly ſupplied with.——Fiſhing Parties, Maſters of Packets, Paſſengers, &c. may be ſupplied at ſaid Store on the ſhorteſt Notice, with any Article they may want—and their Favours gratefully acknowledged.

Newport, Feb. 4, 1800.

JOHN BAKER

Has for Sale at his STORE, on Banister's Wharf,

A General Aſſortment of GROCERIES, of the firſt Quality.

Captains of Veſſels and others ſupplied with SEA-STORES, on the ſhorteſt Notice.

Thoſe who will pleaſe to favour him with their Cuſtom, may rely upon ſupplying themſelves with any Article in his Line, of as good a Quality, and at as reaſonable a Rate, as at any Store in Newport.

He returns his ſincere Thanks to his Cuſtomers and the Public for paſt, and ſolicits future Favours.

Newport, April 29, 1799.

All Perſons having Demands againſt the Eſtate of Dr. *ISAAC SENTER*, late of Newport, deceaſed, are deſired to exhibit the ſame for Settlement; and all thoſe indebted to ſaid Eſtate, are requeſted to make immediate Payment to

ELIZABETH SENTER, *Adminiſtratrix*.

Newport, Jan. 13, 1800.

FOR SALE, BY

GODFREY WENWOOD,

NEW ſuperfine and common Flour per Barrel—Middlings Ditto—Miſtic Tile, per Dozen—and Blown Sale, per Buſhel or leſs Quantity.

Newport, Oct. 7, 1799.

ROBERT LAWTON

Reſpectfully informs his old Customers, his Friends, and the Public, that he has juſt received, and has for Sale, at his Store in Thames-ſtreet, Three Doors below the Poſt-Office,

AN elegant Variety of faſhionable GOODS, adapted to the approaching Seaſon;—which are, in Addition to his former beautiful Aſſortment of Satins, India Luteſtrings, Modes, Calicoes, Chintzes, Linens, Ladies Hats, &c. &c.

All which Goods will be ſold at a very low Advance.

Thoſe who will pleaſe to call at his Store, he flatters himſelf, will not be diſappointed in the Quality of his Goods, the Prices of them, or the Treatment they will receive.

Newport, Nov. 20, 1799.

To be Sold, by

SHEFFIELD ATTWOOD,

BROKER,

20 Hogſheads New-England Rum, from 95 to 100 Gallons.
20 Hogſheads Molaſſes, good for Retailing.
10 Boxes good Brown Sugar.
20 Hogſheads Weſt-India Rum.
100 Barrels Meſs Beef.
100 Barrels Meſs Pork.
100 Barrels Prime Pork.

He has alſo to ſell, ſundry Dwelling-Houſes, in different Parts of this Town.

He has alſo 4000 Weight good CABIN BREAD on Hand for Sale, cheap for Caſh.

N. B. He gives the higheſt Price for old Gold and Silver.

Newport, 13th January, 1800.

JOHN BOURS.

At the Sign of the GOLDEN EAGLE.

INVITES his Friends, old Cuſtomers and others, to his Shop, where a very handſome Aſſortment of GOODS, ſuitable for the Seaſon, juſt imported, will be found, upon as low Terms, for Caſh, as at any Store in the State.

AMONG WHICH ARE,

A Variety of ſuperfine broad Cloths of the moſt faſhionable Colours—and Gentlemen's beſt Beaver Hats, of the neweſt Taſte.

Newport, December 30, 1799.

CHRISTOPHER CHAMPLIN

HAS FOR SALE,

St. Peterſburg Clean Hemp,
Swedes Iron,
Souchong Tea, per Cheſt,
And Molaſſes, per Hogſhead.

Newport, Sept. 24th, 1799.

Juſt received, by the Ship Semiramis, Capt. Jacob Smith, from Canton.

GUNPOWDER
Hyſon
Souchong
Bohea
} Teas, per Cheſt or ſmaller Quantity.
Tea Cadies.
Waiters.
Boglipores.
Fans, Umbrellas, &c. &c.

And for Sale, by

JOHN C. SCOTT.

Newport, June 25, 1799.

Linseed-Oil & Painter's Colours.

JAMES CAHOONE & SON,

HAVE FOR SALE,

LINSEED-OIL, boil'd or unboil'd.
Beſt London White Lead.
Spaniſh Brown.
Whiting, Venetian Red, India Ditto.
Stone and Spruce Yellow.
Red Lead, Patent Yellow.
Verdigreaſe, Pruſſian Blue.
Gold & Silver Leaf.
Letharge, White Vitrol.
Painter's Bruſhes & Tools.
Scrubbing & Tar Bruſhes.
Camel's Hair Pencils.
Spirits of Turpentine.
Bright Varniſh.
Black Ditto.
Window Glaſs & Putty.

Any of the above Paints, ground in Oil, or dry, properly prepared.

By ſending the Dimenſions of a Houſe, Room, Veſſel, &c. &c. their diſtant Cuſtomers may be ſupplied with a ſufficient Quantity of Colours for any Work, at the ſhorteſt Notice, with Directions to uſe them.

Newport, May 24, 1799.

M. DESFORGES

Always anxious to preſerve the Confidence with which he has been honoured, from the firſt Moment of his Arrival in Newport, reſpectfully informs the Inhabitants thereof and its Vicinity, that he is determined to reſide in this Town, if a ſufficient Number ſhould apply, all the enſuing Spring and Summer; and will continue to teach the uſeful Accompliſhments of Dancing, and the French Language, on the following Terms:

DANCING.

The Dancing Quarter will be compoſed of Thirty Leſſons, Three Times a Week, for which each Scholar will pay Ten Dollars free of any Entrance.——The Academy will be open every Monday, Wedneſday, and Saturday Mornings, at Ten o'Clock preciſely, for Ladies; and the ſame Days, at Five o'Clock in the Evening, for Gentlemen.

FRENCH LANGUAGE.

Three Leſſons a Week, every Tueſday, Thurſday and Friday, from Six to Nine o'Clock in the Evening; Three Dollars a Month free of any other Expence, for thoſe who will attend at M. D's Academy.

Private Leſſons, Three Times a Week, Four Dollars a Month.

M. D. is happy to acquaint his Employers, and thoſe who incline to be inſtructed under his Care, that in Addition to the great Variety of his own Steps, he has been favoured by a French Gentleman (who has received the moſt eminent Education) with a great Number of new and very elegant Steps:—Likewiſe the laſt Kind of Dancing in France and England, which will be ſoon adopted in the great Cities of this Continent.

Thoſe Perſons who have already ſubcribed, and thoſe who ſhould be pleaſed to enlarge the Number of M. Desforges' Pupils, may reſt aſſured, that he will neglect Nothing, in future, to merit a Continuance of the Encouragement with which he has been heretofore honoured.

Newport, Feb. 3, 1800.

To be SOLD, at PUBLIC AUCTION, on FRIDAY the 21st Day of February next, at XI o'Clock, A. M.

A Large, Three-Story DWELLING-HOUSE, with the Two Shops adjoining :——Very conveniently situated in a public Part of the Town—late the Estate of OLIVER DURFEE, Esq; deceased.

Newport, January 20, 1800.

STONE WALL.

Any Person willing to contract for building *by the Rod*, about 1 or 200 Rods of lawful Wall (on this Farm) may hear of Employment by applying to the Subscriber.

They will have the Stones to dig out of a Quarry (literally above Ground) and to cart the same to the spot—the Work to be finished during the Course of the present Summer.

S. ELAM.

Portsmouth, 1st Feb. 1800.

N. B. If the Persons who may be Employed, give Satisfaction, and think it an Object to engage further, it is very probable they will have Work during the whole Season.

To FARMERS.

Wanted a sober, industrious Man, of good Character, who understands the farming Business and the Care of Cattle, to have the Management (under myself) of the Farm I live upon.—Any Person of this Description, willing to engage themselves by the Month or Year, may hear of Employment, by applying to

S. ELAM.

Portsmouth, 1st Feb. 1800.

FIVE DOLLARS Reward.

LOST, a Post-Note, No. 1258, drawn by the Bank of New-York, in Favour of JAMES NOYES, dated March 25, 1799, for *Five Hundred and Seventy-six Dollars and* 14-100*ths*, which Note was indorsed by Samuel Reynolds, in a Letter directed to James Noyes, Westerly, Rhode-Island, and under Cover to Rowse Babcock, Post-Master, Westerly, and put into the Post-Office in New-York, on the 26th of March, 1799, since which, Nothing can be discovered of the Note or Letter.——Any Person finding said Note, and returning it to Samuel Reynolds, Merchant, New-York, or to Doctor James Noyes, Westerly, shall receive the above Reward.—Payment is stopped at the Bank, therefore it cannot be of Use to any Person.

Westerly, Dec. 5, 1799.

JAMES TAYLOR & Co.

Inform the Public,

THAT they have resumed their *Business*, which has been for some Time suspended on account of the Sickness of two of the concerned.

They offer for Sale, a large Assortment of fresh and genuine

DRUGS and MEDICINES.

Orders from the *Country* executed at Wholesale Prices, and the Town Retail Business attended to with the utmost Caution and Fidelity.

MEDICINE CHESTS for the East and West-Indies, and Africa, with ample and suitable Directions supplied at short Notice, at reduced Prices.

Dye Stuffs, Painters Colours, &c. &c. as usual.

Newport, January 1, 1800.

NEWPORT and *NEW-LONDON*

New Line of STAGES:

From New-London to Newport, twice a Week, through Groton, Stonington, Westerly, Charlestown, and South-Kingstown, &c.

(FOR THE WINTR SEASON)

—*AS FOLLOWS* :—

Leave New-London, Mondays and Thursdays, at 9, A. M.

Arrive at Newport, Tuesdays and Fridays, at 12, A. ,M.

RETURNING,

Leave Newport, Tuesdays and Fridays, at 2, P. M.

Arrive at New-London, Wednesdays and Saturdays, at 6, P. M.

EACH Passenger pays from New-London Ferry to Narraganset Ferry, Three Dollars the Remainder of the Road pays Fourpence Halfpenny per Mile, and are allowed Fourteen Pounds Baggage, each :——One Hundred Pounds extra Baggage pays the same as a Passenger.

Passengers at *Newport* may apply to Mr. *Townsend's* ; and at *New-London*, at Mr. *Frink's* Tavern, where the Driver will call previous to his leaving those Places.

ALL Favours will be gratefully received, and thankfully acknowledged, by the Public's obedient and very humble Servants,

PETER CRARY & CO.

Stonington-Port, October 21, 1799.

Just Received, and for Sale, by

WILLIAM R. WILDER,

At his *BOOK-STORE* and *CIRCULATING-LIBRARY*,

Nearly opposite Messrs. Gibbs & Channing's *Store*,

A Large and General Assortment of BOOKS & STATIONARY, which will be Sold at the lowest possible Prices.

Among which are,

Large Bibles, of 10 different Kinds.
Small Ditto, per Dozen or Single.
Testaments, per Dozen or Single.
Watts's Psalms and Hymns, per Ditto.
1500 Webster's Spelling-Books, & 3d Parts.
A general Assortment of Accompt Books, Ledgers, &c.
Almanacks for 1800, of 3 different Kinds, by the Groce, Dozen or Single.
Sheet Ditto, very convenient for Stores and Compting-Rooms.
Children's Picture-Books, Primers, &c. of 50 different Kinds, by the Groce, Dozen or single.
300 Reams of Writing-Paper, various Sizes and Prices.
Wrapping Ditto per single or Dozen Reams.
Playing Cards by the Groce, Dozen or single Pack.
Slates and Slate Pencils, by the Dozen or single.
Real Dutch Quills, by the 1000 or less.
Black and Red Ink-Powder, by the Dozen or single Paper.
A great Variety of Ladies & Gentlemen's Red Morocco Pocket-Books, with and without Instruments.
A beautiful Assortment of Penknives, Desk Knives, Folders, &c.
Best Irish glazed Wafers.
Genuine Dutch Sealing-Wax, Red & Black.
2 Cases of English Hats, imported in the Minerva, of the latest London *Fashions*.
A small Assortment of Jewelry, Perfumery, &c. &c. with very many other Articles too numerous for an Advertisement.

☞ Large Additions are made, and are daily making, to his CIRCULATING-LIBRARY.

Newport, Nov. 11, 1799.

N. B. A few Boxes real Havanna Segars.

HENRY G. CHAMPLIN

Informs the Public, and his Friends and Customers in general,

That he has just received,

A new Supply of GOODS,—suitable for the present Season, well assorted, by Wholesale and Retail, cheap for Cash, in Thames-street, opposite Mr. Robert Stevens's.

FOR SALE,

THE United States SHIP, GEORGE WASHINGTON, of 32 Guns, now lying in the Harbour of Newport—the principal Part of her Timbers are Live Oak and Red Cedar ; she is very burthensome, and calculated for the INDIA Business.——To be sold with, or without her Guns and military Equipment.

Inventory may be seen, and the Terms known, by applying to

GIBBS & CHANNING.

December 31, 1799.

TO BE SOLD, OR LET,

A Farm in Point-Judith, South-Kingstown. For Particulars inquire of

HENRY POTTER.

Newport, Feb. 3, 1800.

C. FOWLER & Company,

HAVE FOR SALE,

30,000 Wt. Hispaniola Coffee,
4000 Wt. Cotton,
300 Bolts Russia and Ravens Duck,
2 Hogsheads Virginia Tobacco,
30 Crates of CROCKERY :—Containing a great Variety of Cream coloured and figured WARE.

Together with a general Assortment of

GROCERIES,

And a constant Supply of Superfine and Common

FLOUR,

per Quantity or single Barrel.

Shopkeepers in Town and Country, are invited to call at the above Store for Supplies, where they may depend on being furnished on the most reasonable Terms.

Newport, Jan. 20, 1800.

BENJAMIN HILL

Respectfully informs his old Customers and the Public in general, that he has opened a Store next Northward of Messrs. Gibbs & Channing's, where he has

AN Assortment of WEST-INDIA GOODS, cheap for Cash.

He also continues his BAKING BUSINESS as usual, on the Wharf below his House—where any Merchant or Captain of Vessel may be supplied with any Quantity of Ship or Pilot Bread, or Crackers, at the shortest Notice.

SIMEON MARTIN

Has for Sale, for Cash, or on a reasonable Credit, with approved Notes, payable at the Bank of Rhode-Island,

GOOD Retailing Surinam and Havanna MOLASSES, by the Hogshead, Tierce or Barrel ; old 3d Proof Windward-Island Rum ; New-England Rum by the Hogshead or Barrel ; Mess and prime Pork and Beef by the Barrel ; Rice by the Cask ; Whale Oil by the Ton ; Rock Salt by the Hundred Bushels, or less Quantity ; Pilot Bread by the Barrel ; and Two Pair of Three-Pound Cannon, with all their Apparatus complete.

Newport, July 29, 1799.

JOHN & HENRY CAHOONE,

Have for Sale at their Store on Banister's Wharf,

BROWN SUGAR by the Hogshead or Barrel ; 4th Proof Jamaica Rum by the Hogshead ; Molasses by the Hogshead ; Flour by the Barrel ; Prime Pork by Ditto ; prime and Cargo Beef by Ditto ; Pimento by the Bag ; Rosin by the Barrel ; Powder by the Cask ; Sheathing Paper by the Hundred ; Salt petre'd Hams ; Candles by the Box ; and a few Gin-Cases.

—ALSO—

LIQUORS, of the best Kind, a general Assortment, and various other Articles in the Grocery Line, a complete Assortment of which they propose to be constantly supplied with.——Fishing Parties, Masters of Packets, Passengers, &c. may be supplied at said Store on the shortest Notice, with any Article they may want—and their Favours gratefully acknowledged.

Newport, Feb. 4, 1800.

JOHN BAKER

Has for Sale at his STORE, on Banister's Wharf,

A General Assortment of GROCERIES, of the first Quality.

Captains of Vessels and others supplied with SEA-STORES, on the shortest Notice.

Those who will please to favour him with their Custom, may rely upon supplying themselves with any Article in his Line, of as good a Quality, and at as reasonable a Rate, as at any Store in Newport.

He returns his sincere Thanks to his Customers and the Public for past, and solicits future Favours.

Newport, April 29, 1799.

All Persons having Demands against the Estate of Dr. *ISAAC SENTER*, late of Newport, deceased, are desired to exhibit the same for Settlement ; and all those indebted to said Estate, are requested to make immediate Payment to

ELIZABETH SENTER, *Administratrix*.

Newport, Jan. 13, 1800.

FOR SALE, BY

GODFREY WENWOOD,

NEW superfine and common Flour per Barrel—Middlings Ditto—Mistic Tile, per Dozen—and Blown Salt, per Bushel or less Quantity.

Newport, Oct. 7, 1799.

ROBERT LAWTON

Respectfully informs his old Customers, his Friends, and the Public, that he has just received, and has for Sale, at his Store in Thames-street, Three Doors below the Post-Office,

AN elegant Variety of fashionable GOODS, adapted to the approaching Season ;—which are, in Addition to his former beautiful Assortment of Satins, India Lutestrings, Modes, Calicoes, Chintzes, Linens, Ladies Hats, &c. &c.

All which Goods will be sold at a very low Advance.

Those who will please to call at his Store, he flatters himself, will not be disappointed in the Quality of his Goods, the Prices of them, or the Treatment they will receive.

Newport, Nov. 26, 1799.

To be Sold, by

SHEFFIELD ATTWOOD,

BROKER,

20 Hogsheads New-England Rum, from 95 to 100 Gallons.
20 Hogsheads Molasses, good for Retailing.
10 Boxes good Brown Sugar.
20 Hogsheads West-India Rum.
100 Barrels Mess Beef.
100 Barrels Mess Pork.
100 Barrels Prime Pork.

He has also to sell, sundry Dwelling-Houses, in different Parts of this Town.

He has also 4000 Weight good CABIN BREAD on Hand for Sale, cheap for Cash.

N. B. He gives the highest Price for old Gold and Silver.

Newport, 13th January, 1800.

JOHN BOURS,

At the Sign of the GOLDEN EAGLE.

INVITES his Friends, old Customers and others, to his Shop, where a very handsome Assortment of GOODS, suitable for the Season, just imported, will be found, upon as low Terms, for Cash, as at any Store in the State.

AMONG WHICH ARE,

A Variety of superfine broad Cloths of the most fashionable Colours—and Gentlemen's best Beaver Hats, of the newest Taste.

Newport, December 30, 1799.

CHRISTOPHER CHAMPLIN

HAS FOR SALE,

St Petersburg Clean Hemp,
Swedes Iron,
Souchong Tea, per Chest,
And Molasses, per Hogshead.

Newport, Sept. 24th, 1799.

Just received, by the Ship Semiramis, Capt. Jacob Smith, from Canton.

GUNPOWDER
Hyson
Souchong
Bohea
} Teas, per Chest or smaller Quantity.
Tea Cadies.
Waiters.
Boglipores.
Fans, Umbrellas, &c. &c.

And for Sale, by

JOHN C. SCOTT.

Newport, June 25, 1799.

Linseed-Oil & Painter's Colours.

JAMES CAHOONE & SON,

HAVE FOR SALE,

LINSEED-OIL, boil'd or unboil'd.
Best London White Lead.
Spanish Brown.
Whiting, Venetian Red, India Ditto.
Stone and Spruce Yellow.
Red Lead, Patent Yellow.
Verdigrease, Prussian Blue.
Gold & Silver Leaf.
Letharge, White Vitrol.
Painter's Brushes & Tools.
Scrubbing & Tar Brushes.
Camel's Hair Pencils.
Spirits of Turpentine.
Bright Varnish.
Black Ditto.
Window Glass & Putty.

Any of the above Paints, ground in Oil, or dry, properly prepared.

By sending the Dimensions of a House, Room, Vessel, &c. &c. their distant Customers may be supplied with a sufficient Quantity of Colours for any Work, at the shortest Notice, with Directions to use them.

Newport, May 24, 1799.

M. DESFORGES

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The Dancing Quarter will be composed of Thirty Lessons, Three Times a Week, for which each Scholar will pay Ten Dollars free of any Entrance.——The Academy will be open every Monday, Wednesday, and Saturday Mornings, at Ten o'Clock precisely, for Ladies ; and the same Days, at Five o'Clock in the Evening, for Gentlemen.

FRENCH LANGUAGE.

Three Lessons a Week, every Tuesday, Thursday and Friday, from Six to Nine o'Clock in the Evening ; Three Dollars a Month free of any other Expence, for those who will attend at M. D's Academy.

Private Lessons, Three Times a Week, Four Dollars a Month.

M. D. is happy to acquaint his Employers, and those who incline to be instructed under his Care, that in Addition to the great Variety of his own Steps, he has been favoured by a French Gentleman (who has received the most eminent Education) with a great Number of new and very elegant Steps :—Likewise the last Kind of Dancing in France and England, which will be soon adopted in the great Cities of this Continent.

Those Persons who have already subcribed, and those who should be pleased to enlarge the Number of M. Desforges' Pupils, may rest assured, that he will neglect Nothing, in future, to merit a Continuance of the Encouragement with which he has been heretofore honoured.

Newport, Feb. 3, 1800.